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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Robert Amory, Jr.

SUBJECT : Western Union Telegrams

Bob:

I am sorry for any inconvenience which you may have experienced in connection with questions raised by the Fiscal Division concerning your telegrams to Chester Bowles. Your explanation is, of course, adequate and has been forwarded for proper processing. The fact is, however, that since this is a "vouchered funds" expenditure it is audited by the GAO site audit boys who seldom fail to question this type of thing if it appears to be personal. So, among other things, our people are merely trying to keep one step ahead of the sheriff.

When you send future official telegrams if you would write on the form "official business" and sign or initial, this certification would be available to the auditors and should eliminate the necessity for any additional explanation.

/s/

L. K. WHITE

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